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Big Boom In Southern Section Of Richmond

Immense Plant Employing 1000 Men Is Coming

The immense new factory deal pending for some time past, said to be the largest enterprise ever secured to Richmond since the coming of the Standard Oil refinery, it has been positively ascertained from inside information is now practically consummated. The papers are in the east for the signatures of the officials of the big manufacturing company, and the actual signing of the papers may be executed at any time, as all terms in the contract have been agreed to.

OVER 1000 EMPLOYED

Upwards of one thousand men will be employed at the new factory when it gets in full blast, all native, industrious and skilled workmen. The eastern headquarter town of the manufacturing firm concerned is one of the most prosperous and substantial in the United States, and is so, largely because of the location of the factory of that company within its limits.

SITE DONATED

A site of land, several acres in extent, in the southern section of Richmond, bordering on the rights. of-way of both the Southern Pacific and the Santa Fe railways, has been donated. The value of this piece of property is variously estimated from $60,000 to $100,000, and its location makes it one of the most accessible and desirable for the particular company concerned, on the entire Pacific Coast.

It is the desire of those who have promoted this gigantic enterprise, to what seems a certain and successful culmination, that any definite mention of the names of parties concerned, be omitted, for good, sufficient and obvious reasons. Other Pacific Coast cities, especially Oakland, have been bidding strongly for the securing of the factory, and the local principal does not wish to jeopardize the securing of Richmond's newest and biggest factory.

Matson Loses In Appelate Court; Will Not Appeal

In a decision made public in San Francisco Monday, the Appellate court of San Francisco upheld the decision of the Superior court at Martinez, convicting Norman H. Matson, formerly editor of the Daily News, for libeling J. P. Arnold.

"The decision will not be appealed," stated Matson yesterday, "The case is all over except paying the penalty, which I think must need be the jail sentence. I am unable to pay the fine." Matson was given the choice of $400 fine or one hundred days in the county jail, by Judge Latimer, upon completion of the trial in the fall of 1915.

Sixty days' time is allowed before this last decision of the court must be executed. It is understood that labor unions throughout the state, as well as Maston's personal friends, will not permit his incarceration.

Matson is working in San Francisco.

LOST—One box of milk bottle tops. Leave at Barrett avenue Market.2

To Subdivide Nicholl Home Site Property

Details of the financially and physically largest subdivision project in the history of Richmond are being completed this week, wherein the sale of the remaining acreage of the famous John Nicholl home site, across Twenty-third street from Richmond high school, will be closed. One million dollars is the price paid for the choice seventy-two acres which compose the property, a price which sets a new record for similar reality transactions in this part of the state.

BURG BROS. SALES AGENT

Burg Bros., the live wire San Francisco and Richmond realty promoters, will handle the sales of this new subdivision, which will shortly be laid out into lots, with paved streets and sewers. Numerous applications for choice lots in this subdivision have been received by them.

FACTORY SITE RETAINED

While it is generally understood that a certain strip of land along the Oakland branch of the Santa Fe railway has been deeded to an immense eastern manufacturing concern which plans to build and manufacture here, the opening of this subdivision will unquestionably stimulate the building of business houses both on the west side of Macdonald east of Twenty-third street and on the east side of Twenty-third street toward Pullman avenue.

The purchaser of the immense tract has requested that his name be withheld for the present, until the final papers are signed and the subdivision work is under way.

State Highway Commissioners Will Ask Bids

With the promises of the State Highway Commissioner Stern and Engineer Loder that they would positively advertise for bids for the improvement of three miles of San Pablo avenue, between this city and Oakland, the outlook for this improvement for the summer is brighter than it has ever been before. Some what similar promises have been made before stated Supervisor Zeb Knott yesterday, but none so definite.

No agreement has been made with the street traction company, whose tracks north of Potrero avenue are on the east side of the street, but the work will be carried out nevertheless.

ZEPHYR REBEKAHS TO WHIST SATURDAY

Zephyr lodge of Rebekahs, of the west side, will hold a whist party in Fraternal hall tomorrow, Saturday night. From the crowds preparing to go it is easy to predict an enjoyable time for all whist lovers who attend.

Excelletn music has been arranged for, and the refreshments and the tourney at cards are in the hands of an able committee. Handsome prizes have been arranged for the winners.

Dancing will round out an enjoyable evening.

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Work Started On $80,000 Improvement

Work has commenced and a large force of men are at work installing the complete sewer system in the Canal subdivision under the contract recently awarded to the Richmond Dredging company for the grading and sewering of all the streets there. The completion of this $80,000 contract for the grading of all the streets and complete sewer system in the Canal subdivision, will be followed by the paving of all the streets there.

This section of the city is now coming in for its much needed improvement and with Ashland avenue (the 80 foot wide boulevard directly connecting the centers of population of the city) and Cutting Boulevard intersecting near the north portal of the municipal tunnel, leading to the 1000-foot bulkhead ferry wharf now nearing completion, great development in the way of buildings and large increase in traffic should come to this important section.

With the completion of the municipal ferry wharf, the people of Richmond, will at last have come into the right of direct communication with San Francisco, for there is already arrangements being made for direct ferry service from the Richmond municipal wharf to the Market street ferry, San Francisco. With such service installed on regular schedule, it begins to look like 30-minute time and 10 cent fare between the two cities.

ATTORNEY WILDGRUBE DEFENDS JOHNSON

Attorney Wildgrube has volunteered his services in protecting Kenneth Johnson, who is being sued in the Supreme Court at Martinez by Attorney Grady. Grady says he secured young Johnson's relase from prison and that he did not receive enough fee for so doing. He sued in the local courts, Johnson being defended by Attorney Wildgrube at that time, free of charge, but Wildgrube won the case for his client, and Grady has appealed.

MAIL CARRIERS INVITE YOU TO DANCE SATURDAY

If you want to stand in good with your mail carrier and have him bring you more letters, why, go to the Letter Carriers and Postal Clerks ball at East Shore park tomorrow night. Besides getting yourself in "solid" with the boys that we all look for, you will have a good time, and help a most worthy cause, the proceeds of the dance being turned into a fund to better the conditions of these minor federal employes, who have for decades been unjustly discriminated against by national legislatures.

Schwartz' orchestra will harmonize and syncopate, so do not hesitate, but be at the Park at 8.

MOVING "MOVIE" MYSTERY REMOVED

The wonderful local unearthment of mysterious movements of the dusky and designing gypsy, made here recently by somebody, has been "blarsted." There is no mystery and everything is O. K. says a telegram which has been received by Chief of Police Walker of Louisville, Kentucky, where the locally purported abduction of little Adam Adams, orphan boy adopted by the auto travelling gypsies that visited Richmond a fortnight ago, was said to have taken place.

MARTIN IS NEW FIND FOR OAKS

A new and juicy acorn has been found among the branches of the strong and towering Oaks, in the personality of Elwood Martin, who made an excellent job out of his effort to trim the feathery supporters of the Angels, in their home town yesterday. To the score of 2 to 1 he held the Angels down, wherefore we declare him to be some find.

S. F. JITNEYS ORGANIZING

In the past three weeks the number of union drivers of jitney buses in San Francisco has been increased from 200 to 600.

Sec. Daniels Impressed By Academy Site

Very good progress is evidently being made in Washington in the campaign for the establishment of a government naval academy at Richmond, and all signs now point to the fact that this city stands a good chance of getting the academy which it is proposed to locate around here somewhere. The following telegram has just been received from John Nicholl about it, and explains itself:

New York, April 27.

F. J. Hulaniski,
Richmond, Cal.

Have just returned from a visit to Annapolis and Washington, completing a very satisfactory campaign for the establishment of the naval academy at Richmond. Have met and had consultation with Secretary of the Navy Daniels, and also Secretary Tumulty for President Wilson. Wednesday Secretary Daniels said, looking over the book on the subject I had presented, "you have certainly well presented the situation out there. It is all quite familiar to me, with pleasant remembrances of Richmond. I will appoint a committee in December to go thoroughly into your proposition."

NICHOLL.

Nothing In 1900 Sixteenth In '16 First City In 19??

In a book just to hand from the State Controller, John S. Chambers, entitled, "The Annual Report of Financial Transactions of Municipalities and Counties of California, for the Year 1915," Richmond is listed as the sixteenth city in size in California. The present population of Richmond according to the conservative, official estimate is 16,000, which is an increase from 6,802 in 1910.

The report goes into great detail in regard to the receipts, expenditures, etc., of California municipalities and counties, as well as commenting upon the progress of municipal ownership, and other matters concerning these two classes of local governments, which cannot be handled in dry figures.

Speaking of publicly owned water systems, Chambers says "One hundred and four cities report water works as municipally owned, with receipts amounting to $4,312,619.34, not including sales or service deposits. Thirteen plants are operated by gravity, 66 plants by pumps, 10 plants by both, 68 plants get their supply from well, 12 plants from streams or rivers, and 15 plants from two or more sources.

McATEE SPEAKS AT AUDITORIUM FRIDAY NIGHT

Sylvester A. McAtee, political writer, campaigning for the United Republicans, will speak to Richmond adherents of that political faith, and the Richmond electorate in general, at Lincoln auditorium Friday night.

McAtee is an interesting speaker.

PYTHIAN SISTERS WILL HOLD LARGE CLASS INITIATION

A big class initation will be held at Pythian Castle Saturday night, when Contra Costa Temple of Pythian Sisters No. 113 will initiate a class of ten or twelve candidates. It is expected that several Oakland visitors will be present.

A banquet and dancing will follow the initiation.

GRADY GETS JUDGMENT AGAINST ROY JOHNSON

Attorney Grady secured a judgment of $5 against Roy Johnson, the father of Kenneth Johnson, in the Superior court at Martinez yesterday afternoon. Grady declared that $31 was due him for attorney fees in securing the liberation of young Johnson from San Quentin.

Johnson was defended by Attorney Wildgrube, free of charge.

Mexican Crisis Nearing Acute Stage Rapidly

Today's Dispatches Indicate very Strongly that this Government Has a Tail-hold on the Mexican Bear and will have a Hard Time Letting Go.—The Conference Tomorrow Will Likely Decide Whether It Is to be War or a Backdown.

The trend of all the dispatches today, from Washington to Mexico, as well as El Paso and other border towns, indicate that the United States government is confronted with the alternative of going right ahead now it is on the ground, and putting down all the troubles of Mexico, by armed intervention, or an ignominous backdown.

All arrangements have been completed for the international conference in Juarez through which it can be reasonably expected the fate of war-ridden, starving Mexica will be settled.

Minister of War Alvaro Obregon of the de facto government is scheduled to reach the border town just across the Rio Grande from El Paso tomorrow morning. Generals Scott and Funston, who will represent the United States, will arrived a few hours later.

The military authorities here see no way to avoid trouble. Obregon is expected to demand the immediate withdrawal of the United States troops. This, it is said, will be denied unless conditions are stipulated which will guarantee the restoration of order south of the border, which cannot be done.

There is also to be reckoned with the internal situation created by the split between Obregon and First Chief Caraanza, which has been confirmed today from Mexican sources.

General Gavira was still reticent this afternoon regarding the outcome of the conference. He is of the belief, however, that upon it depends grave consequences for both nations.

Arrivals at the border today say that if the American troops withdraw, there is certain to be a new revolution in Mexico with Obregon and Carranza on opposite sides.

SAN DIEGO BOOSTERS MAKE HURRIED VISIT

Heralded with a steam calliope, the "Exposition Special" of the San Diego exposition, bearing Mayor M. Capp of San Diego, and the president and officials of the southern exposition arrived in Richmond on Wednesday. Forty automobiles arranged for by Secretary Long of the Chamber of Commerce met the special at the Southern Pacific station and took the visitors about Richmond, showing them the Standard Oil refinery, the harbor project, and the locations of other industrial plants.

CAREY IS VICTIM OF TUBERCULOSIS

John H. Carey, popular Standard Oil employe, until a few weeks ago, residing at 219 South Eighth street, passed awey at Colfax Friday, a victim of tuberculosis. He will be buried in Sacramento Monday.

Carey is survived by a wife, Lulu and a daughter Myrtle. They were all well known in this city.

European War Situation In Today's News

New German Smash Against England May Force Peace—Ireland Riots Continue—Now Believed U. S. Break With Germany Is Averted.

That the forthcoming thirty days are likely to be the most momentous period of the whole war and will definitely determine the fate of Germany, is the consensus of opinion in well informed circles.

Reports of the Kaiser's impending concessions to President Wilson on the submarine question can only be accepted as probably true in view of the fact that the Kaiser intends to solace the German disappointment by a terrific attack on the British lines.

Ireland is in a blaze of rebellion. That much is certain from official admissions in both houses of Parliament today. Here and there the blaze may be partially smothered or not yet matured, but in Dublin and in the west it constitutes what Premier Asquith characterized in the House of Commons today as a "conflagration." Marital law has been proclaimed over the country and Major General Sir John Maxwell, lately in command of the British forces in Egypt, left for Irleand this afternoon to suppress the rebellion with all the circumstances of civil war.

BERLIN, April 28.—A solution of the submarine controversy between Germany and the United States satisfactory to both countries has been reached, according to semi-official announcement here today.

Redlights to Be Eradicated

But three redlight houses remain in Richmond. They are operated by women giving their names as Alice Clark, Grace Miller and Rose Porter. The two former women will close as soon as they can advantageously dispose of their personal property here, but the latter states that she owns her property and that the Redlight Abatement act does not concern her. However, this place will be raided from time to time and upon securing evidence it will be closed by the district attorney's office.

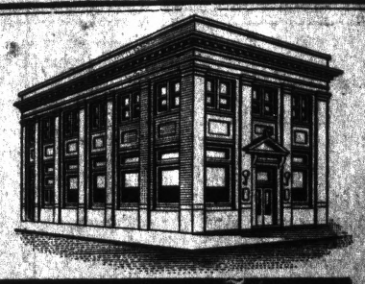
The proximity of these social sores to the Washington school was given as one of the reasons for insisting upon their removal.

KESSEL BACK FROM MERCED

Henry Kessel, formerly a popular member of the Richmond baseball team, but more recently a resident of Merced, has returned to his "hum town" and is now wielding the razor at Shannon's barber shop. Kessel states that he is not the awful cut-up he was in his younger days, when he used to disport on the diamond with "Bric" Devereaux.

Mrs. Kessel and family will come here next week.

FOR SALE—6-room house on 10th street. Two lots at a bargain. Close in. Some terms. Conn Bros. 44-3



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WHO WILL HELP THIS DESERVING MAN?

The Eidtor of this paper is in receipt of a letter from one of the prisoners of San Quentin penitentiary. He writes to us not as editor of the News but as the editor of the Thinkograph Magazine, of which he is a subscriber, and says a great many of the inmates there take great pleasure in reading the Thinkograph because of its homely, heart-to-heart doctrine, and the many laughable little jokes and pleasantries it contains. He says, however, that one cannot swell up much with laughter there because the cells are too narrow.

This inmate of the prison, doughtless actuated by a belief that this scribe has a big and liberal heart, writes to say that he has been promised a parole by the parole board at any time he can succeed in getting a job, and he asks us to help him to get work in order that he may get out of prison, again to be a free man, and have an opportunity to make good.

This man says that he finds it almost impossible to get employment while yet incarcerated, and while others to whom he has applied have proferred much sympathy, no jobs are included therewith.

Now, friends, here is an opportunity to help a fellow man who is struggling hard against the stream. What can we do about it? Take it home to yourselves and try to imagine how you would feel if it was yourself, your brother or your friend. This man is worthy of a helping hand at this time, or the officials would not be willing to grant him a parole. He has first had to earn this regard from the officials by proving to them that he was straight and worthy in every respect.

This scribe is going to get this man a job, somewhere, somehow, and asks all of the readers of this paper to help, if there is any way they can.

When an erring brother has been down, and is sorry, and has a chance to get up again if only he be given some work to do, it is certainly along the doctrine of the Brotherhood of Man to extend a helping hand.

Who has any suggestion to offer?

Who will help?

We will be one.

The Bull Moose seems to be turning out to be a goat.

Everybody works but the wealthy—they work everybody else

There is not much difference between a grafter and a thief.

The trusts are today the ulcers on the breast of American prosperity and liberty.

You can't always tell. The engineer of a garbage wagon may wear a number eight hat.

Seems like the man with the biggest heart has the slimmest purse, more is the pity.

The warring nations of Europe pray to God and then exercise the same Christian spirit a coyote has for a rabbit.

To exterminate mites read Hearst editorials or use peruna. One is booze and the other bile, and both are bad.

A preacher says he passed sixteen saloons in one block in Chicago. There are a lot of fellows who would not have passed one of them.

You want your fellow man to be your brother? Sure! Then be his brother. Think it over. There's millions in it.

Guess Lincoln was mistaken. Some of the politicians seem to be able to fool all of the people all the time.

California's legislative policy seems to be a good deal like a Mother Hubbard wrapper—covers everything but don't touch anything. Why is a fish trust?

In China they punish with death the man who adulterates food. In this country it is the man who eats it that gets killed. The other fellow forms a trust, gets rich and lives happily ever after.

A scientist doctor now says people can live on air and water just as well as not. Glad to hear it, for if the trusts don't let up before long, that is just what we will have to do.

When Colonel Roosevelt issues an ultimatum, it goes, and if it conflicts with man's law and divine plan, then mankind and divinity simply have to guess again.

An Italian at Sacramento borrowed $22 of a loan shark and paid in seven years interest on it amounting to $356. We know what ought to be done to that loan shark, but the United States regulations forbid that we print that sort of language.

Winehaven, a part of Richmond, makes the finest champagne in the world, and it can be bought for two or three dollars a bucketful. It is shipped all over the world, including Paris, where it gets a "parlez vous Francais" label and is shipped back, and a lot of us who have no more sense pay $5 a bottle for it.

When a woman clad in silk and diamonds rolls along luxuriously in a $10,000 limousine, with one of those little cutglass bottles full o orchids dangling to the side of the car, and passes a hundred or so of the army of unemployed, it makes the army feel like enlisting in the front ranks of the Socialist party, and we don't know that we blame them. We don't know how the woman feels, but she looks like a monkey.

READS LIKE GOOD SENSE

A most significant and important speech was that made by President Wilson befort the gathering of Democratic National Committeemen in Washington a week ago and which, for various and perhaps, obvious reasons, was not printed by the big betropolitan dailies of California. In effect it was an argument for non-partisanship in National affairs. Following is an extract from the speech:

"Frankly, gentlemen, I am not interested in personal ambitions. May I not admit, even in this company, that I am not enthusiastic over mere party success? I like to see men, generations strong, take fire of great progressive ideas and, banding themselves together like a body of thoughtful brothers, put their shoulders together and lift some part of the great load that has depressed humanity.

"This country has not the time, it is not now in the temper to listen to the violent, to the passionate, to the ambitious. This country demands service which is essentially and fundamentally non-partisan. Some gentlemen will learn this soon; some will learn it late; but they will learn it so thoroughly that it will be digested.

"This country demands at this time as it never did before, absolutely disinterested and non-partisan service. And I do not now refer merely to foreign affairs, where everybody professes to be non-partisan; I refer just as much to domestic affairs, for in saying non-partisan I mean not merely between parties and political organizations, but also, and more fundamentally, as between classes and interests."

Making a million does not necessarily make a gentleman out of a roughneck.

A man can never sell his honor more than once. After the first sale he has no honor in stock.

A financier is a man who earns his money by the sweat of other men's brows.

No doubt the French believe the Devil wears a mustache turned up at the ends.

Wall street Republicans and Wall street Democrats are tarred with the same stick.

A college education as a prerequisite to material success is not necessarily fatal.

There is only one real signboard to success, and it contains but one word—"work."

Every whizzing old world bullet is now whistling autocracy's requiem.

A contemporary wants to know if lawyers can get into heaven. Not unless there is a loose paling in the fence somewhere.

A Mr. Gearing-Haitt, an Englishman, as you can guess by the double-barreled name, has been investigating industrial conditions in this country and comparing them with those in his native land. He states that the American workman receives considerable more wages on an average than his British cousins, but that the American toiler has no more in his pockets at the week's end, after the bills are paid, than the laborer in John Bull's vineyards or factories. And that is what we have claimed all our life. We get a higher wage than the foreign workman, but the trusts and corporations who pay the wage turn around and take it all away from us by taxing us the whole of it for what we eat, drink and wear, so what's the difference? The remedy is simple and plain. It lies at the polls.

SOMETHING WRONG WITH OUR SYSTEM

We all agree that this is the greatest and most wonderful country on earth anywhere. That we all know. We know that the wondrous crops we raise astonish as well as feed the world—corn, wheat, rye, oats, cattle on a million hills, sheep in a million valleys, great manufacturing industries, thousands of miles of railroads busy all the time transporting all this bountiful harvest to the markets of the world. Nothing like it was ever heard of in the history of the world; marvelous; astonishing; millions of people flocking to our shores from every foreign country, and we feed them all with no apparent effort.

Does it not seem to you that with all this great plenty of crops of all kinds, millions of pounds of wool being made into wollen goods; millions of hides being made into shoes; millions of bushels of corn and wheat for bread: milions of cattle for beef; millions of sheep for mutton; millions of hogs for pork—is it not a fact that every industrious and frugal citizen of this great country should now be enjoying prosperity and plenty, with enough to support his family; feed, clothe an deducate his children; a home of his own, and a nest egg laid by for a rainy day in case of sickness?

LITTLE MISS HELLO

The little ladies at the telephone exchange do not have a path of roses by any means, and to make it worse there is a goodly sprinkling of people who are cross and cranky to them without just provocation. If you will take your watch out when you ring up "central" you will find that it is only a few seconds before her cheery answer comes, and that she makes the connection for you with a rapidity that you could not begin to duplicate. If the party at the other end of the line is slow to answer, that is not the fault of "central," and as a rule she gives a service which merits praise instead of cross words. She has much to contend with, yet keeps good natured and pleasant, and she waits on the public a hundred times faster than any public server in the land.

Be a gentlman and give the pretty little hello girl a pleasant word, instead of grumbling and growling like a bear with a sore head.

If you are rich you may have hallucinations; of poor it is simply bughouseness.

We hope this year will iron out many wrinkles from pinched and puckered stomachs.

The chunk of pork in the can of beans seems to have shriveled.

Many a piece of meat has money and many a noble man has none.

You may have a creed a yard long, but if you do business with a short yardstick you'll have a hard time passing St. Peter at the gate.

This cost of living business is some like an automobile, in that both have three speeds forward and only one reverse.

Los Angeles is making a brand of orange alcohol which enables the partaking citizen to see bronze trkeys with tan shoes on gophers clad in plug hats, and a divided California.

Why is it any worse or different for a state or nation to own and operate a road that has rails on it than one with ouly ruts in it?

The Los Angeles "Tribune" says an endless gorilla warfare is likely to continue indefinitely in Mexico. An endless gorilla must be some beast.

ARE WE SUCKERS? WE ARE

P. T. Barnum, the old-time circus man, said the American people liked to be humbugged, and he made a very shrewd guess. Taken as a whole we are certainly a nation of rank suckers. We take any medicine the trusts and the politicians wish to feed us and then turn around and say we like it. Many years ago we all paid two-bits to see Barnum's petrified Cardiff giant, when we knew very well that some enterprising sculptor down in Massachusetts has carved him out of stone and that Barnum had buried him secretly and then dug him up before a crowd that could testify to the reserrection. We like to pay 10 cents to the tobacco trust for a cigar that we know has not got 2 cents worth of tobacco in it. We (not the editorial we, but we the whole people) make a big fuss about the high cost of living taking all we can earn, and then we go to the polls and vote to perpetuate the same old system.

We pay $30 for a suit of clothes that is reasonably worth $12.50 and could be purchased for that if it were not for the high protective tariff, saying that we do it to protect American labor and give them high wages, when we know that the difference between the $30 and $12.50 goes into the pockets of the multi-millionaire trust magnates and that they only pay their labors in the Massachusetts wollen mills, an average wage of $7 a week. We do certainly love to be humbugged, and it is our fault that we are not only humbugged, but flimflammed, hoodooed, sandbaged, skinned and robbed to a frazzle, systematically and everlastingly. It is our own fault, and we have no one to blame for it but ourselves, for God has given us the greatest and most prolific country in the world and we can have it governed just as we see fit, by whom we choose, and have, also, anything in the wide world we desire within the bounds of reason, with no man piling up two or three hundred millions of dollars while his neighbor half a mile away tramps the streets in vain search for enough work to keep soul and body together. Ah, we're suckers, all right, and biting in in a trout country too.

The difference between spring fever and auto fever is about $2,000.

If a man has a position, when he quits he hands in his resignation, if he has only a job he gets fired.

Mexico is at least consistent. Nobody ever expects anything from Mexico.

The Japs say they are not Mongolians. Well, what of it? A horse is not necessarily a mare, either.

Rockefeller Junior says money is hard to get. It's hard to get from Rockefeller Junior, all right.

The food trusts think people eat too much and too often.

Since Lent the devil has foreclosed a number of chattel mortgages.

The dispatches say the Germans have captured 70,000 Russians. We don't see what anybody wants with that many Russians.

How many of those Pennsylvania coal miners on $1.25 a day and the Massachusetts mill workers on $7 a week have full dinner pails?

There are, according to the government horticulture department, forty varieties of lemons, not counting the one now being handed to Bryan.

Little boys like to wash their face and ears and feet at night when they are tired and sleepy, just like father thinks mother's new Easter hat is worth the money.

Bankers put in a large part of their time observing holidays, but the interest on the note works full time and three shifts.

Your hand and forearm muscles are entirely capable of handing out to your fellowman something other than a lemon.

Ah, well boys, cheer up! While the rich grab most of the automobiles, we have 'em beat to a frazzle on baby buggies.

To a hungry man two-bits worth of pork and cabbage fact is better than a vast wealth of psychology.

In the beginning man had nothing to do but eat. Now he has to rustle like blazes all his life to get something to eat.

The dispatches announce that Switzerland is also shining up its swords and guns. It would be awful to get shot as full of holes as Swiss cheese.

One way to avoid disappointment is to expect the worst of it, as the ultimate consumer is beginning to.

There should not be one single plutocrat or pauper in this land.

An Illinois Congressman who is against woman suffrage says he would provide a husband and a home for women instead of votes. What's the matter with her having all three?

The scrub who can't pay his bills because he is keeping up payments on an automobile that represents his entire stock of worldly goods scorns the ordinary pedestrian as "common white trash."

Why is it that strawberries turn over in the box in such a manner that their beautiful blush red shows up on top side and the pale, sickly green on the bottom side?

Thinks From the Thinkograph

If you drop a few dollars, don't holler. Think how happy the other fellow is.

If you hover over a settin' of trouble eggs, some of 'em will hatch.

When fashion hides feminine charm most of us suspicion it is there, anyway.

"Soul mates" are generally young and plump. Souls know a good thing when they see it.

Meat and groceries have gone up, but they are not so high as wine suppers and love affairs.

You can't tell by the pretty label what is in the can.

Bury the hatchet with and not into your fellow man.

The fellow who fought the windmill has a lot of descendants.

The man who chews tobacco wastes a lot of time looking for a place to spit.

Preach some of the home that is here, as well as so much about the home over yonder.

Is costs a whole lot in both time and money to maintain a grudge or a grouch in good working order.

It takes babies a long time to learn to talk, then later on it takes more time to learn not to talk too much.

Eat more rye bread and drink less rye whiskey.

When you are up in a cherry tree, pick cherries.

A good cause is often spoiled by a gosling trying to be an eagle.

A clairvoyant knows one thing—that most people are easy marks.

It is said the whale is soon to become extinct. In that case, put away your harpoon.

Your lawyer may pull you through on a technicality, but your preacher can't. When you show up before the bar of old St. Peter you have got to have the goods.

Opportunity will never knock as long as you do.

Whether your nose is Grecian, Roman or pug, keep it out of other people's business.

The wampum they used to strive so strenuously to get and fight each other for is no good now to the mummies in the museums.

Real sure-enough virtue should be automatic.

If you must tell a lie, tell a good one and then lay off awhile.

Have you got an affinity? Then take off that "Safety First" button.

There are a lot of beautifully manicured fingernails that can scratch like blazes.

Bobby Burns said man was made to mourn, but he didn't say to work overtime at it.

It takes 500 bees to weigh a pound, yet one of them can lift a 200-pound farmer ten feet into the air.

A flood of immigration does not do as much damage as a flood of water, but it smells worse.

Eat less, booze less, keep your head cool, your feet warm, your mouth shut and inflate your nickel into two-bits.

Experience is a dear school, and if it be the college of alcoholic absorption the tuition is extra high, and then some.

The man who works with his hands gets $3 a day, and the man who works with his mouth gets everything else in sight.

There are two jobs which seem to be a good deal alike—being president of Mexico and holding a wrestling bull by the tail.

Goat Island Sailors Play Ball Sunday

We don't know much about sailors as base ball players. After trying to get the old sawdust bag in the knob to functioning it finally gave us the dope that sailors ought to know something about cannon balls and high balls—and that's as much as we got that time.

Somebody woke up again by letting the safe fall on that part of the anatomy I wear my hat on, and a real brilliant idea spilled forth.

Of course the sailors know how to play the national game or Manager Luce would not have arranged a game with them. That's conclusive, is it not? And if they didn't know the national game, they would not be working for the national government, and if they were not goat getters they would not make their home on Goat island.

A twenty piece band and one hundred rooters will accompany the Goat Island training station boys to Richmond to supply the harmony and inharmony, respectively.

Scott	Pitcher
W. Williams	Catcher
Flannigan	First Base
Rouch	Second Base
R. Williams	Third Base
Stooks	Short Stop
Woodmanse	Left Field
Conkrite	Center Field
Newkirk	Right Field

The local lineup as follows:

Gordon, Burns, Bohen	Pitcher
Cleek	Catcher
Christenson	Second Base
Benn	Third Base
Friene	Short Stop
Schimpff	Left Field
Daniels	Center Field
Allen	Right Field

BISSEL AVENUE CASE OVER

The suit of the Barber Asphalt Paving Co. against Bissell avenue residents to collect money for the paving of intersections, which was in the court at Martinez Wednesday, was laid over until Monday when City Engineer Chapman will be present to testify.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION DAY TUESDAY

Presidential primary election day will be Tuesday and very registered voter, regardless of party affiliation, or if no affiliation was declared, is entitled to vote any party ticket. An elector wishing to vote any party ticket should ask for the ticke of that party, and on it vote for 26 candidates.

MODESTO REDS AND RICHMOND IN THREE

Manager Luce has arranged a series of three games with the justly famous Modesto Reds, which will start with a game here on May 21, followed there on June 4. The third game, if Richmond will need such a game to decide the championship will be played in the city having the largest gate attendance for either of the preceding games.

NAVAL BOARD COMING

California members of the Federal Naval Board will visit Richmond on their trip of inspection of the industrial preparedness of municipalities, counties and states on about May 1.

Father "Midget" Childs received his new appellation on last Saturday when a baby girl was born to Mrs. Childs, nee Miss Carmen Dias.

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LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. J. B. Stevens of Mills Valley and Mrs. Jas. Newlands Jr. of San Francisco, mother and sister of H. Gordon Stevens, were visitors in Richmond Thursday.

City Engineer Chapman has had white guard rails erected at the junction of Monecito and Vaca streets, on the west side. These are hill side streets that have recently been improved.

In the Superior Court at Martinez the Bay Counties Land Company has demanded that their suit against the Ellis Landing and Dock company be set for hearing, as the pending suit is preventing the awarding of a $50,000 contract for waterfront improvement. Attorney Hart of the Bay Counties Co. would not reveal the nature of the improvement.

Miss Mary Timmons, daughter of Water Commissioner Timmons, has returned to her home here in Richmond after an extended visit with friends and relatives in Los Angeles, and the suburb cities thereof. Miss Timmons was away three months.

Miss Amanda Stratton, formerly with Jones & Adkison, has taken charge of the millinery department of the Big Store.

Geo. Taylor and Barney Hall, wanted for passing ficitious checks, have been returned to Richmond, having been apprehended in Stockton.

Pretty Miss Irene Hughes will be the June bride of Edward Leist, Santa Fe machinist. The announcement was made at a party given a host of Oakland, San Francisco and Richmond friends by Miss Hughes.

Another of the highly popular and successful Ladies Nights given by the local lodge of Elks was held last night in the lodge's club rooms. Much of the credit for the pretentious affair is due Chairman Louis Farrell, ably assisted by Earl Morgan and Sidney Stitt.

Captain N. Westburg of the Steamer Tiburton, lying at Point Orient wharf, was seriously injured Monday when he was thrown from his auto near Winehaven.

Mrs. H. L. Kittle and sister, Miss Nellie Hamner, will leave in a few days for Buchanan, West Virginia, for a six months' visit with relatives. They reside at 426 Twenty-first.

NOT ENOUGH PATRIOTISM AMONG YOUNG AMERICA

Mrs. N. Ancleto, a San Francisco organizer is here trying to organize a Richmond tent of Daughters of the Civil War veterans. She states that the rising generation of Americans is not half demonstrative enough in their patriotism, and that the work of her organziation will be to pay reverence to those men who saved the United States from disunion in the parlous times of the Civil War.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE

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Richmond Daily News

Location of Principal Place of Business, 250 Sixth Street, Richmond California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 17th day of April 1916, an assessment of thirty (30) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately lawful money of the United States, to R. W. Seamans, the Secretary of said company, at the office of the company, 250 Sixth street, in the city of Richmond, county of Contra Costa, state of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Monday, the 22nd day of May 1916, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 10th day of June, 1916, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1916.

R. W. SEAMANS, Sec.
250 Sixth Street, Richmond Cal.

NOTICE OF DISSOLLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the firm known as Kelly & Olney, (The Fair) is now dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. C. C. Olney will continue the business, Mr. J. F. Kelly having sold his interest. All oustanding accounts will be assumed by Mr. Olney.

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Take it home to yourself. If you were a stockholder in this paper you would be getting and reading the paper wouldn't you? Sure you would, and so it is with all the other stockholders, or nearly all.

These are the men whose pay checks keep the wheels of commerce and business going round in Richmond. They and their families are the people, Mr. Merchant, who buy goods of you. It is only good business on your part to tell these people, through the columns of their paper, what you have to offer, and to go after their trade and get it.

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HOME INDUSTRY MOVEMENT ON

This paper is now obtaining date and official figures relative to the number of men employed in Richmond, whose homes are in other places and whose pay checks are expended elsewhere than in Richmond.

An article is being prepared for the next issue which will contain some interesting facts and figures directly bearing on this situation. The figures are absolutely astounding. Every month there is withdrawn from local circulation an amount equal to a fortune, nearly every dollar of which should remain here.

We shall call upon all civic bodies, commercial associations and other organizations, with a view of beginning at once a concerted movement against this condition of affairs. The campaign will also be extended to the various local manufacturing concerns, which will be asked to lend their assistance in aiding to bring about a much needed change.

CITY IS ALLOWED 15 DAYS IN HALL SUIT

MARTNIEZ, April 27.—In the suit of George S. Wall and the Harbor Center Land Company against the City of Richmond to stay the removal of the seat of government from the Wall site to the Burg tract the attorney for the plaintiff has allowed the city until May 15th to answer the second amended complaint.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION HAVE MEETING TONIGHT

The Alumni Association of the local high school will hold a meeting in the school office tonight, at which time preliminary arrangements for the senior dance for the graduating class of the high school will be made, if it is decided that such a dance will be given this year.

Harry Orser, wife and wife's mother, of Byron, dropped into Richmond a few days since and naturally came straight to this office, for Harry, who is head printer of the Byron Times, learned his trade under this scribe back in Colorado, and is just like one of the family. And the best thing of it all was that they had a big, fine, new baby along—some baby, too, and a heap better looking than its dad.

The county Democratic central committee met at Martinez yesterday and transacted routine business. The local and San Francisco papers stated that the committee made an endorsement for the Martinez postoffice, but this was an error. The matter was postponed for ten days. James Hoey and L. Anderson are the contestants, and both have quite a following.

Proceedings will started next Monday evening at the council meeting for the widening and paving of 23rd street. "Let the Lord be Thanked." It has been hanging fire since the memory of man runneth not back thereto.

MURRAY IS HERE

John F. Murray is here today. For many years he has held the position of secretary of the State Democratic Central Committee. Mr. Murray's present mission is national in its scope. Throughout the country he is directing an effort in behalf of a propsed new law by Congress, by virtue of which the postal savings fund may be loaned to the school districts at 2 1-2 per cent per annum, as it is now loaned to bond buyers. This would be a saving of over one half to the schools of the country.

MRS. KENNON IMPROVING

The many friends of Mrs. J. L. Kennon will be glad to learn that she is now recovering from a serious operation which she underwent this week.

It is doubtful just now whether the proposed big Fourth of July celebration will be pulled off or not, but a decision will be arrived at by the committee in a few days. The business men seem to be rather lukewarm about it, and many of them hold that it would be better to wait awhile and then give a celebration of a special feature, such as the Harbor, Tunnel and Wharf completion, holding that such a blowout would attract many more from the outside thatn a Fourth of July celebration.

The Richmondite Paving Company is a new corporation to enter the road improvement field, with A. T. Svensen, F. H. Welsh and Chas. Johnson as among those interested. They have a new patent surfacing process said to be something especially fine and lasting, and will make that branch a specialty. Good roads is the slogan nowadays and we all want them. The new company has a number of good contracts already, and we will present some data on it next issue.

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26. Richmond Ave and Alvarado.
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132. Third and Ripley Streets.
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213. Morgan and Vaca Streets.
213. Golden Gate betweene Marine and Lincoln
231. Standard and Clarence Aves.
232. Washington and Scenic.
241. Tunnel and Scenic.
251. Richmond and Tunnel.
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To Members of Organized Labor

There are about two thousand of you union workingmen in Richmond, and most of you stockholders in the Daily News Co., Inc., either directly as individuals or indirectly through your local unions. Also, nearly all of you are subscribers to the News, and this new management wishes to have a little talk with you about these matters, in which you and your welfare are vitally interested, financially and every other way.

First, we desire to call your attention to the fact that it is absolutely necessary to your welfare and success as organized labor to have in Richmond your own press representation, and that is what The News is. The files of the present daily newspapers here show that in a large majority of cases they have been arrayed against men and measures wanted and advocated by union labor here. You all know this, and so does everybody else. Any time you wanted a state, county or city law or ordinance passed, these other papers have fought it. Any time you have put up or favored a candidate for any office, state county or municipal, they have fought him to a finish, and judging the present and future by the past, they may be depended upon to continue to do that very thing. They are for what you are against, and they are against whatever you are for. And so if you get justice and a proper or half way decent press representation in this city you have got to maintain one of your own

That is what you have got right now, in The News, and it is your duty, and should be your pleasure, to stand squarely behind this newspaper in its efforts to do battle in your behalf and for your interests. It's a cinch the other fellow is not going to do you any favors, as you well know. You have very few rights which they consider entitled to any respect at all.

You are all familiar now with the deliberate conspiracy which was hatched over a year ago to deliberately wreck this newspaper and put it out of business if possible, and you know who the plotters were and the methods they employed until they nearly did what they started out to do. As would-be wreckers, plotters and conspirators we will have to give them credit for doing a fairly good job before we got on to their system and put a stop to it. All that is to come out in court in due time, and then it will become legitimate news, and you will get some mighty interesting reading matter in the columns of the News. Don't miss it, for it will be very interesting, and will show you who your real enemies are in this town, and who your friends are.

The previous management reduced your paper from a daily to a weekly, for reasons of its own. The present management would not have done this, but since it was done deems it but wise business policy to let it so remain until its patronage and business affairs generally be placed upon the sound business footing which is now being done. Just as soon as this is done the paper will be issued daily, and until then we ask you to have patience and help all you can. A daily paper cannot be run on hot air, as some people seem to think. It takes some hot air, of course, but also about $600 a month cold cash. And hot air is much better when amalgamated with cold cash. To bring out a daily again may take a month, two months or even three months—that will depend upon circumstances. It will be done as speedily as possible, but the present management will not undertake to satisfy any champagne appetites with lager beer incomes. Business is business. We will pay as we go or we won't go.

In regard to your subscription to The News, if you pay in 50 cents it will pay for the weekly for three months,, and most of you are behind one month, 35c on the daily. If the daily issue starts up again before it has run three months as a weekly, which is quite likely, proportionate credit will be given you.

Representatives of The News will call upon you personally during the coming week, to get your subscription all straightened out. Kindly leave instructions with the wife or other representative for the houshold just what your pleasure is in the premises.

Remember that this is your paper. It is going to fight your battles, if you have any, and stand up for your rights at all times any every jump in the road—don't forget that. Also remember that your paper has to have not only your financial support but your moral support if it is to succeed. You have a part to play in this drama and we expect every man who belongs to organized labor in Richmond to do his full part. It is up to you. You boys stand pat with your own paper and we will make you glad of it. The new management is going to bring to it support which it never had before, and in due time will show you dividends instead of deficits.

As fast as you get time, drop into the office and have a chat with us. There are some things we desire to discuss with you that cannot well be printed—or, call us up on the phone. You know the old saying: "United we stand; divided we fall."

Yours for the best interests of organized labor, in Richmond and everywhere,

THE DAILY NEWS COMPANY
F. J. HULANISKI, Edr. & Mgr.

Renner, the barber, raised quite a crop of strawberries in his shop window this week and was just about to invite the whole town for a feast when his better half showed up and took 'em all home.

The new management of this paper certainly thanks the business men for the kind reception they are tendering and the patronage they are extending. We shall certainly try very hard to merit it.

Harry Micaletti, potter, leaves on Monday for Newcastle, Penn., where he will spend a year with his parents. He expects to return to Richmond next spring.

Julius Stietvater keeps about as busy running two big stores as this scribe does editing two publications.

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Best sweet Oranges, dozen	25c	Fresh Duck Eggs, doz.	25c
Fancy Juicy Lemons, dozen	10c	2 lbs. Fancy Creamery Butter	55c
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Interesting County News

Turner & Dahnken, moving picture theater owners, are being sued by the Henry Cowell Lime and Cement company for $10,000 damages. The Cowell company alleges that it entered into a contract with the moving picture company last December for the construction of a theater in Stockton at a cost of $50,000, which Turner & Dahnken agreed to lease for ten years at $850 a month. When the ground had been broken and the construction work started the movie company called off their part of the deal.

The voters of the Willow Springs school district in Moraga valley have by their ballots decreed that the sum of $12,000 should be issued in bonds for the erection of a new school house in that district.

The Western Grain and Sugar Products company, with plants at Crockett and Agnews, has been granted permission to sell 9,530 shares of its common stock at $5 per share. The proceeds are to be used for buildings, machinery and equipment of its two plants, the increase in business making it necessary to increase its facilities.

Great plans are being made for the big celebration in Crockett on May 6th, at which time the new Y. M. C. A., the Carquinez Women's Club building, and the statue in Rithet park will be dedicated. Crockett will be beautifully decorated with flags, and bunting and the various lodges, civic organizations and other bodies are working hard to make May 6th a red letter day in the history of the town.

Walnut Creek will soon have a library building of its own, as the board of supervisors announced that the Carnegie library board was prepared to pay over the $2500 which was donated for the building. The site was donated by R. N. Burgess and is situated in a splendid location.

The Contra Costa Courier says that Contra Costa County might vie with Southern California if the property owners would set out trees and shrubbery along the highways. The esthetic enhancement of property gives it 90 per cent of its value. Trees, vines and shrubbery cost but little but make a very attractive appearance.

Walnut Creek entertained the Presbytery of Oakland at which fifty clerical and lay delegates gathered in representation of the thirty-three Presbyterian churches within the jurisdiction. The retiring moderator, Rev. Guy Arnott White, was formerly a popular Richmond pastor. Rev. R. S. Eastman of Berkeley, was chosen moderator for the ensuing year.

Fishermen of Pittsburg who are being urged to go to Alaska to engage in salmon fishing are demending a bonus of $50. Owing to the increased price of twine the men are indifferent about going north unless the bonus money is paid.

The C. L. Best Gas Traction company of Haywards is looking around for a new location on which to erect a large foundry which will employ in the neighborhood of 200 men. The company has outgrown its Hayward plant and Martinez is making strenuous efforts to have this big plant locate there as they have good factory sites along the Martinez waterfront. San Jose would like to secure this concern but have not the water shipping facilities which the company requires. Common with the factories, and if Martinez can not suit them its a cinch that Richmond can.

President Charles R. Van Hise of the University of Wisconsin accepted the gift of the famous self-rising clock which John Muir invented which was formally presented to the University by the Alumni Club at its annual banquet.

Captain William Thomas, well known in shipping circles up and down the coast, died suddenly on Tuesday in Milwaukee. Captain Thomas was until recently master of the Associated Oil steamer Coalinga.

Plans have been accepted for a new building to be erected by the Borba Estate on Main street in Pinole. It will be a brick building 100 feet long and 35 feet wide and will be occupied by Allen Corn, who will operate a moving picture theater.

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The Martinez Woman's Club Building Association has been granted permission to sell 7500 shares of stock at par. A campaign will be started immediately to dispose of the shares and the proceeds of the sale will be used in the construction of the Women's Improvement Club building in Martinez.

The Contra Costa County Sunday school convention will be held on Saturday, May 6th in Martinez. It will be an all day session and delegates from all over the county will be in attendance.

Martinez boosters are planning a big get-together meeting and banquet in honor of the new and old members of the board of city trustees at an early date. The object will be to discuss the big things needed for Martinez and to cement a closer fraternal feeling between the citizens of the city.

An order reducing the rates of the water company which supplies Pittsburg, was made by the Railroad Commission. The commission reduces the flat rates from $1.75 to $1.25 a month, and other rates proportionately.

A Greenfield, proprietor of the Pinole Department store, has arranged with Architect Narbett for plans for a new warehouse to be erected on Tennant avenue.

During the coming summer a wing with two rooms will be added to the Mt. Diablo high school at Concord. This improvement is necessary owing to the crowded condition of the school.

E. M. Downer was again elected chairman of the Board of Town Trustees of Pinole Monday night. Miss Charlotte Brandt, clerk and J. T. Silva, treasurer, took the oath of office. Herbert S. Betz was reappointed Town Marshal.

The board of Trustees of the Town of Hercules met Monday night and election of the following officers was confirmed: Trustees Warren McBryde, Ralph Robison, John Varno; Clerk, L. E. Hart; Treasurer, Stephen Johnston. Warren McBryde was again chosen chairman of the Board and W. B. McKenzie was appointed Marshal.

SAN FRANCISCO LABOR NOTES

The Machinists' Union of San Francisco has voted to call a strike in automobile shops May 1 unless the proprietors of automobile shops agree to pay machinists in their employ a minimum wage of $4.50 per day of eight hours on and after that date. At the present time the minimum wage of machinists in automobile shops in San Francisco is $4.00 per day. About 350 men will be affected.

FERRYBOATMEN ORGANIZE

Dissatisfied with present working conditions aboard the day ferryboats the deckhands have appealed to the International Seamen's Union of America, for assistance in organizing, and have filed applications for membership in the Bay and River Steamboatmen's Union.

S. P. Time Table

Time table effective January 3rd, 1916. Subject to change without notice.

Leave Richmond	Train No.	West Bound—Toward San Francisco	Arrive San Fran.
6:27 A.M.	No. 18	From Portland and North	7:30 A.M.
7:56 A.M.	No. 23	From Tonopah	7:56 A.M.
7:08 A.M.	No. 37	From Bakersfield and Martinez	8:10 A.M.
8:13 A.M.	No. 41	From Livermore and Vallejo	9:10 A.M.
8:28 A.M.	No. 19	Stops for passengers from east Ogden	9:30 A.M.
9:06 A.M.	No. 1	Stops for passengers fr. east Cheyenne	10:10 A.M.
9:16 A.M.	No. 81	From Tracy, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	10:10 A.M.
9:53 A.M.	No. 45	From Sacramento	10:50 A.M.
10:17 A.M.	No. 47	Stops for passengers, North, Davis	11:36 A.M.
11:48 A.M.	No. 15	Stops for Passengers from Portland	12:50 P.M.
12:10 P.M.	No. 49	From Los Angeles, Bakersfield, Martinez	1:10 P.M.
3:15 A.M.	No. 83	From Bakersfield, Martinez	4:10 P.M.
3:32 P.M.	No. 29	From Sacramento	4:30 P.M.
5:22 P.M.	No. 43	From San Ramon, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	6:30 A.M.
5:42 P.M.	No. 21	From Dunsmuir, Sacramento	6:30 P.M.
6:45 P.M.	No. 5	From Chicago	7:50 P.M.
7:35 P.M.	No. 27	From Sacramento	8:30 P.M.
8:28 P.M.	No. 53	From Portland and North	9:30 P.M.
9:45 P.M.	No. 209	From Colfax	10:40 P.M.
10:10 P.M.	No. 85	From Fresno, Newman, Martinez	11:20 P.M.

Leave San Fran.	Train No.	East Bound—From San Francisco	Arrive Richmond
11:40 P.M.	No. 86	For Bakersfield, Martinez	12:30 A.M.
11:40 P.M.	No. 54	For Seattle	12:35 A.M.
6:20 A.M.	No. 28	For Dunsmuir, Sacramento	7:06 A.M.
6:40 A.M.	No. 36	For Fresno, Martinez	7:28 A.M.
7:20 A.M.	No. 22	For Sacramento, Dunsmuir	8:08 A.M.
8:00 A.M.	No. 42	For Calistoga, Santa, San Ramon	8:45 A.M.
9:00 A.M.	No 24	For Tonopah	9:51 A.M.
9:20 A.M.	No. 84	For Bakersfield, Martinez	10:07 A.M.
10:20 A.M.	No. 20	(Flag) Stops for points east of Ogden	11:09 A.M.
10:40 A.M.	No. 8	For Martinez, Los Angeles	11:28 A.M.
12:00 Noon	No. 30	For Sacramento, Marysville	12:48 P.M
1:00 P.M.	No. 14	For Portland and North	1:49 P.M.
1:40 P.M.	No. 10	(Flag) Stops for points east of Ogden	2:31 P.M.
3:00 P.M.	No. 46	For Oroville, Sacramento	3:48 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	No. 2	(Flag) Stops for points east Cheyenne	4:46 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	No. 44	For Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Livermore	4:48 P.M.
4:20 P.M.	No. 50	For Bakersfield, Los Angeles	5:04 P.M.
5:00 P.M.	No. 48	For Sacramento, Oroville	5:48 P.M.
5:20 P.M.	No. 53	(Except Sunday) for Martinez, Tracy	6:09 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	No. 6	(Flag) For Chicago	7:53 P.M.
8:20 P.M.	No. 16	(Flag) For Portland and North	9:12 P.M.
6:00 P.M.	No. 160	(Sunday only) Martinez, Vallejo, Tracy	6:53 P.M.

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Latest Labor News

R. W. SEAMANS.

A Word To Union Men--Attend Meetings

A word to the members of organized labor, which should be taken, as it is given, in a spirit of fraternity, for the furtherance of the cause of each and every man, woman and child who are called upon to soil their hands in the task set for them to procure their daily bread.

There are approximately 6,000 laboring men in the city of Richmond whose wages and working conditions are held at the present satisfactory scale by the power and influence of organized bodies of the several crafts and trades, which meet from week to week to transact the business necessary for the promotion of these interests and confer on the conditions existing in our midst. This is done willingly and unselfishly by a few of the faithful whom you will always find present and at their post of duty.

There is not a doubt in the minds of these few of the unwavering faithfulness of those who do not attend the meetings and do not shoulder their share of the labor and responsibility resting upon these bodies in their work of organizing and fighting the daily battles growing out of the struggle, but judge them merely careless and content to leave the matter in the hands of their willing brothers.

To show the extent of this delinquency on the part of these careless brothers: about 10 per cent of the membership of the various unions is the usual attendance according to reports. It should be at least 50 to 60 per cent to make the showing necessary to interest those outside, to further the work of organization and to hold our prestige in the community.

The attendance at the B. T. C. by the delegates from the unions affiliated is often lax, as is that of the central labor council, which condition is wrong and unjust, throwing the burden of labor on the few. At the same time these same men, were an issue at stake involving some vital principal, out of the ordinary, would go to the bat with a vim that would carry the town, as has been shown more than once.

Then why not attend to the ordinary routine of the work, keep in touch with prevailing conditions and assist in carrying out of the aims and aspirations of organized labor.

A UNION SECRETARY.

SEVENTH ANNUAL PICNIC OF BAY CITY CARPENTERS

The Bay Counties District Council of Carpenters, which comprises San Francisco, Alameda, San Mateo and Marin counties, has made all necessary arrangements for the celebrating of the seventh annual picnic on Sunday, May 21st, at Paradise Park, Marin county, which is claimed by many of our local carpenters to be the most beautiful picnic grounds in the state. Excursion seamers are scheduled to leave from Crowley's wharf, foot of Mission St., south of the Ferry building, at 9:30 10:30, 11:30 and 12:30, returning from Paradise Park at 5, 6, 7 and 8 p. m. The price for the excursion including admission to the Park, will be 75 cents, children of the age of twelve or under, 25 cents. There is no question about having a good time.

Richmond carpenters will also be welcomed.

ONE ON CHARLEY

This is a true story and one calculated to demonstrate, how near a stranger can come to guessing the truth, although to all appearnces the opposite prevails.

Now the authenticity of this yarn is not to be questioned, having been told by Charley himself, and as near as memory will serve, here goes:

"I was cumming' home from work one night and down by the garage on the Burg trac—now that's purty good pronouncin aint it—I used to call it garrage. I saw a lot of fellers steppin' one foot after the other and pokin' in the ground with sticks. Says I, 'what in Sam hill air them fellers doin', anyhow, I guess I'll find out.' So I goes over and asks one of um. 'What in thunder are you fellers doing'?'

"Says-ee, 'Say, old man, don't you know you are in danger here. You better get off.'

"Says I, 'What's the matter?'

"Says-ee, 'Why this is squirrel ground, and, as maybe you know, all squirrels are strong after nuts. Anything nutty is their meat.'"

Home Rule Tax Amendment for California

Reinforced by the unanimous endorsement of the State Federation of Labor, State Building Trades Council, San Francisco Labor Council, and all other labor bodies thus far reached, the California League for Home Rule in Taxation, is about to initate an amendment to the state constitution, providing for Home Rule in Taxation for local purposes in the several counties, cities and counties, cities or towns o the state.

Primarily and distinctively a measure to permit the exemption from taxes of all products of human labor, the amendment will make it possible to place all taxes on land values, irrespective of improvements, so that land now held out of use for speculative purposes by a very low tax rate, may be taxed into use by a rate more in accordance with its true value, making it unprofitable to hold large and valuable tracts of land unproductive and closed against those who are anxious to apply their labor. The same complaint applies to city and town property where, while unused lots and blocks are unlimited, people are compelled to live in congested and unsanitary quarters, for which they are forced to pay high rents.

THE UPS AND DOWNS OF HENRY DUBBS' BABY

A contractor was telling me, the other day, about conditions in the building industry.

"It costs much more to build now than it did a year ago," he said, "owing to the advances in steel and other structural materials. Everything the war has made scarce has gone up."

"The war has made a great many men scarce," I suggested. "How about wages?"

"Wages are down," he replied, "Too many men out of work."

I could not help thinking how strange it is that, with so many adult wage-workers unemployed and eager for jobs, 45 members of the House of Representatives voted against the Keating child labor bill, which is intended to prevent interstate trade in the products of baby labor.

But 45 Statesmen believe it is better to keep babies to work.

WESTINGHOUSE PLANT HALTED BY STRIKERS

The Westinghouse Airbrake Company of Pittsburg, closed down this week with nearly 3000 of its employes on a strike. The Union Switch & Signal Company employes are joining the strike. Five hundred quit work in a body.

PULLMAN FIRE HOUSE SITES OFFERED.

Fourteen sites for the location of the Pullman fire house were offered to the city at the city council meeting Monday night. The offers range from $1 to $2600 a lot, Ben Boorman making the former offer of a lot at Twenty-eighth street and Cutting Boulevard.

A. S. ORMSBY TO BE PROSECUTOR HERE

City Deputy District Attorney A. Ormsby of Martines will take the place of Assistant District Attorney T. M. Carlson, who has been handling county cases in Richmond for some time past.

Ormsby will have offices in the Berry building, Eighth and Macdonald, and is now on the job. Glad to have him among us.

Your disposition will always be sunny if you eat at the One Minute Chop House, Sixth street, opposite the post office. The proprietors, Otto Keller and Louis Miller are skilled cooks and their subordinates are chosen for ability. Aside from being successful business men they have won popularity and a host of friends.

Henry Wahl, manager of Municipal Improvement company, who has been on the sick list for some days past, is up and around again and his pleasant smile is once more on our streets.

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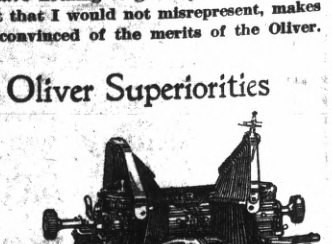

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CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

Fictitious Name.

State of California,
County of Contra Costa,—ss.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we are partners, transacting business at the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, under a fictitious name, or a designation not showing the names of the persons interested as partners in such business; that the aforesaid fictitious name or designation is "Gibbs Cash Grocery"; that the names in full and the places of residence of all the members of such partnership so transacting business as aforesaid, are as follows: Joseph Gibbs, 742 Haight Avenue, Alameda,California, and Charles H. Hunt, 734 Barrett Avenue, Richmond, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and selas at the City of Richmond, California, this 14th day of February, 1916.

(Seal) JOSEPH GIBB
(Seal) CHARLES H. HUNT

State of California,
County of Contra Costa.—ss.

On this 14th day of February, 1916, before me, Homer G. Stidham, a Notary Public in and for said County residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Joseph Gibbs and Charles H. Hunt, knwon to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in the County of Contra Costa, the day and year in this Certificate first above written.

(Notary seal) HAMER G. TIDHh
HOMER G. STIDHAM,
(Notary seal)
Notary Public in and for the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

Endored: No. 221.

Filed in the office of the County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California, this 23rd day of February, 1916.

J. H. Wells, County Clerk.
S. Wells, Deputy Clerk.
March 16-23-30-Apr 6-13

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE DISTRICT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of Martin James Mufich, Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy, No. 9993.

To the creditors of Martin James Mufich, of the County of Contra Costa, district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1916, the said Martin James Mufich was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at 704 Union Savings Bank Bldg., in the City of Oakland, State aforesaid, on the 10th day of April A. D. 1916, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of proving their claims against the estate of said bankrupt, and examining said bankrupt and that at the same time and place all creditors whose claims have been duly proven and allowed shall appoint one or three trustees of said estate, and also may consider whether such trustee or trustees shall be authorized to sell the property of the estate.

Claims must be prepared in form required by the Bankruptcy Act, and sworn to.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., March 25th A. D., 1916.

W. S. Robenson, Attorney for Petitioner.

Wm. J. Hayes, 704 Union Savings Bank Bldg., 13th and Broadway, Oakland, California. Referee in Bankruptcy in and for the counties of Alameda and Contra Costa, State of California.

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

1916

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1916

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office on of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1916.

G. O. MEHRL,
March 9-4t County Assessor

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1915-1916.

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez:

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa the Duplicate Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1915-1916.

And that the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is due and payable on the

Third Monday in October,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter at six o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January next,

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April next,

htereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Courthouse at Martinez, Contra Costa county, California.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1916.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting at election for school trustees, on March 7th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Municipal elections of towns of the sixth class, on March 10th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election on April 1st, 1916; for the purpose of voting at August Primary election, on July 29th, 1916; and on Oct. 7th, 1916 for the purpose of voting at General Election on Nov. 7th, 1916.

You may register with the county Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 10th, 1916.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, California.

The following named persons are registration deputies:

A. C. Faris, City Hall, Richmond, Cal.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
Geo. K. Drew, 114 Washington Ave, Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald Ave, Richmond
Miss Nannie Nesbitt, 621 Bissell Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla Brown, Stege, P. O.
M. J. Gordon, 319 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
W. J. Richards, Jr. 915 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Henrietta King, 234 Barrett Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Laura B. Crampton, 624 Chanslor Ave. Richmond.
Frank M. Silva, San Pablo.
George E. Valencia, San Pablo.
A. H. MacKinnon, Rust.
Herman Rust, Rust.
H. F. Davis, Rust.

Robinson's Show Taboos Crooks

Col. Geo. Godfrey, head of the detective department of the circus, which comes to Richmond, Sunday, May 7th, for performances at 2 and 8 p. m., is one of the best known circus officers in the world. His coolness of nerve and quickness of hand and eye has been the talk of the police officers the world over. It is the duty of Col. Godfrey and his assistants to see that no persons of bad repute be allowed to operate in the city where the show is to exhibit.

"The personality of circus men has changed materially for the better in recent years," said Col. Godfrey recently in an interview. "Time was when they invariably wore high silk hats and clothes of many checks and hues. To be without a 'fist' full of 'rocks' or a well decorated shirt or necktie was a standing reproach to the profession. Nowadays the circus man wears little jewelry, and in his attire and speech he differs not from the ordinary person. He surrounds himself with associates of good character and business integrity, and cherishes highly his good standing in the community.

"A generation ago it was the custom to think that circus followers were a bad lot of men. Of course in a small city there are a few bad fellows. There are more than 1,000 employes of the John Robinson Circus. It is a little tented city in itself. Now it but naturally follows that there are a few bad fellows who are not as good as they should be. As quickly as we discover a dishonest man in our ranks we eliminate him and at the same time we cultivate the honest, conscientous workingman."

P. G. & E. PENSION EMPLOYES

The executive committee of the board of directors of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, desiring to recognize in some substantial way the long service of employees in the interest of the Company, has determined to put into effect a plan of pensions that will be standard in character. The company has for many years taken care of its employees who have given to the company loyalty and devotion by retiring those who have been incapacitated through injuries or by reason of infirmities of age on a pension sufficient to maintain them in the necessities of life. The new system provides that—

"Any officer or employee who attains the age of 65 years after 15 years of service," or "Any employee after twenty years service who may become unfit by reason of permanent physical or mental disability," or "Any employee after ten years continous service who shall become incapable in the opinion of the company's medical examiner by reason of injuries received while at work in the employment of the company will be retired and pensioned."

The benefits of the penston system will apply to those persons who are now or hereafter may be in the service of the company. The pension allowances authorized are upon the following basis: For each year of service an allowance of one and one-half per cent. (1 1-2 per cent.) of the average monthly pay received for the last ten years preceding the retirement; thus, if an employee has been in the service for forty years and his average salary or wages, for the last ten years was 85.00 per month, his pension allowance would be 60 per cent of $85.00 or $51.00 per month. Provided, however, that in no case shall the pension allowance for an employee whose entire time has been given to the company be a less amount that $15.00 per month.

WOMAN'S FOLLY

"When lovely woman stoops to folly"—
Thus sang some gink, when melancholy.
He didn't know whereof he spoke:
This-way-back-yonder writing bloke.
For half the time when women make
You think they're foolish, it's a fake.
You fall for that, and you just bet
A-plenty will be what you get.
For woman is a paradox—
She is insane just like a fox.
She makes you think she "stoops to folly"
But don't you bite—it's just a jolly!

SLATTERY AND SHEA HIGH MEN

R. E. Slattery with a total of 251 votes and Thomas J. Shea, with a total of 163 votes were the two candidates chosen at the primary election last Saturday for election to the Board of Education on May 6.

S. P. Deasey was third man, Frank J. Gardner, a close fourth, and E. K. Strowbridge, fifth.

THE FISHING WASN'T GOOD.

The writer accompanied the water commission on its trip to the Eel river last Sunday.

Below the big dam "whoppers", referring to steelhead trout, disporting themselves reminded the writer of Columbia river salmon days when the catching of many fish was considered a public benevolence, as it allowed more room in the river for ships.

A hook and line was found and the scribe tripped down the path, bent on being a boy again, until he became aware that he was under the baleful glare of the keeper of the state fish hatchery, at that place. With innocence and unconcern commingled on his face he made to pass the hatchery official with a civil nod.

"And why the tackle?" queried the hatchery official.

"Thought I'd try my luck down there," was the starchless reply, pointing toward the waters at the base of the dam.

"Not by a dam site," was the snap of the offcial, and turning on his heel he disappeared within the hatch house.

And he had the last say.

Richmond will soon be able to boast of another wonder in the form of little Esther Sofino, whose accomplishments on the piano are almost unbelievable. Although she is only 12 years old she masters Beethoven's and other equally as difficult selections, with the quickness and ability of one many years her senior. At present she is under instruction at Baker's Conservatory of Music.

MACCABEES HAVE SUCCESSFUL PARTY

One of the most enjoyable social affairs of the season was that given by the Ladies of Maccabee, at Pythian Castle Wednesday night. The hall was prettily decorated and all appointments of the music and dance were of the most elaborate.

Dancing was enjoyed to a late hour and by many scores of couples, and it was voted one of the most enjoyable social affairs of the kind given this year. The Maccabees Ladies have a strong organization here and are very much alive. They allowed us mere men in this time as a special privilege, which was much appreciated.

WILDERNESS KEEPS SECRET WHOLE WEEK

Florian J. Stark, 21, son of the prominent Rust family of that name, and a prominent draftsman at the Standard Oil works, eloped to Fairfield, Solano county, a fortnight ago, accompanied by Miss Bertha White, formerly of Boston but for two years past a visitor at the home of Judge A. H. McKinnon. The couple were there married by Rev. A. C. Cleary, and the couple returned to their respective homes with the secret locked in their breasts, but "The Power of the Press," "Little pitchers have long ears," etc., was to be denied the good news for but a week.

Yes, the Starks were surprised, and so was Judge MacKinnon, but agreeably so.

ROOS BROS.' OF S. F. PICNIC AT WINEHAVEN

Roos Bros.' first annual picnic will be held on Sunday, May 7, at Winehaven.

A special boat has been chartered to leave from Crowley's landing at 10 a. m.

Roos Bros.' 500 employes, from San Francisco, Oakland and Berkeley, will all participate, with their friends, in a good old-time picnic, with plenty of dancing, sports and good things to eat.

On account of the death of the father of H. W., Charles and John Pulse, in Lynchburg, Ohio, the store at Sixth and Macdonald avenue was closed during Wednesday. H. W. Pulse and wife are in the east, having departed while the father was yet ill.

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Cal. Hawaiian Sets Example For Richmond

A check for $50, drawn in favor of the Richmond Chamber of Commerce by the California-Hawaiian Sugar Refining Co., in payment of five one-year memberships to the Chamber of Commerce, sets an example for all Richmond merchants and property owners to live up to.

If an up-country concern sees the great value of the work of the local booster body, how much more ought local residents to value the services of it?

This was carried home to J. N. Long, secretary of the commercial organization, upon receipt of the check yesterday.

Richmond has long needed a Chamber of Commerce and now that it has one, and a good one, well officered, it should be backed up to the last man and woman of this city. It is not a proposition that reaps immediate benefits, but neither does any big, worth while organization. Only wild-cat propositions do that, and few of them. But a Chamber of Commerce in any city is an investment that can not be duplicated by any resident that expects to reside there permanently, or even for a few years. Then how much more is a commerce and manufacture fostering organization of value to the merchant and property owner of an embryonic metropolis such as Richmond is? Join the Chamber of Commerce.

JOURNALISTIC CRAFT TORPEDOED

Yesterday, being full of grippe microbes and other things like that, besides prunes, of course, this scribe went up to Dr. Caesar to see if he could amputate a few of 'em. He asked a lot of pertinent and impertinent questions—wanted to know how long we had been married what ticket we generally voted, if our general cussedness was inherited or just natural, etc., and then he wrote a long letter to the druggist. We took the letter out around the corner and tried to make head or tail out of it, thinking maybe it might make a good news item or editorial, or something, but it was writ in some foreign lingo. We always thought the Doctor was American, even if that name of his does date back to the early Romans, but that writing indicated he was Hindoo, or Chocktaw, or something like that, so we took it down to a chap on lower Macdonald avenue who talked Volapuk. He looked it over and said he didn't savy it, either, but that it sure looked pretty bad—he said there seemed to be something in it about submarine torpedoes. And that wasn't a bad guess, either—still we feel much better today.

SALOON CLOSING LAW BROKEN, IT IS SAID

Charged with selling liquor after midnight, warrants for the arrest of the owners of the Grand Canyon Chateau, Sullivan's, Six Bells, Billy Logan's, the Panama Pacific and the Tavern, were issued by the district attorney in Martinez Wednesday. He is said to have conclusive evidence as to the infraction of the law by these places.

The warrants were given to Constable Palmer and Deputy Joseph Jesse to serve.

Trainmen Hold Social Meeting

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen No. 104 held its regular semi-monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon in W. O. W. hall. The applications for membership of Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Abbay were presented and Mrs. Martin was initiated into the order. Mrs. Spath of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Griffith of Oakland were visitors.

The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will entertain their S. A. on Saturday night, at a social meeting in W. O. W. hall. All brothers and sisters of these orders will be welcomed. An excellent program has been arranged for the evening and a banquet will be srved.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spinney, the respective presidents of the Brotherhold and its auxiliary have been chosen delegates to the joint convention in Detroit, Michigan, in May.

QUIET COUNCIL SESSION

There was not enough doing, of importance and interest, at the last meeting of the city council to keep a newspaper reporter from going to sleep on the job—not even a family row. No warfare of any kind developed, no submarines or Zeppelins—not even gas bombs, and there ought always to be plenty of them at a council meeting.

Pat Dean asked for permission to keep his saloon closed for a couple of weeks, and nobody had any objections to offer. Then Mike Malone tried to get the Dean license, No. 1 Washington street, west side but there was nothing doing.

The retail merchants association asked for the abolishment of the business license tax, and the same is being taken under consideration by the license committee.

A new ordinance is under way providing rules and regulations for installing electrical fixtures, apparatus, etc., and creating the office of city electrician.

A small grist of bills were allowed mostly for labor.

Masque Ball At Richmond Club House Tonight

The Richmond club invitational masque ball will be given in the club house of the civic improvement organization this evening, the music beginning at 8:30 o'clock.

Excellent music has been arranged for the occasion, and considering some of the costumes of which club members and their friends are whispering the affair should be gorgeous, colorful and interesting.

Parent Teachers Meet and Discuss Child Educating

A better understanding between parents, teachers and pupils was the keynote of the first annual meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association, held in the Lincoln school auditorium Tuesday evening. Nearly 200 local parents and teachers were present as well as a large delegation of officials from the Berkeley association, of which the Richmond organization is a chapter.

Reverend Boyer spoke of the value of a proper balance of play and study, and was followed by Superintendent W. T. Helms who impressed upon the audience the almost limitless field the teacher has in educating the child in recreation, hygience, and habits, all outside of the school curriculum.

An excellent musical program was rendered by high school and other well known local musicals and vocalists.

"STOLE MOTORCYCLE" IS CHARGE.

Monte Martinez, bartender, was given a hearing before Police Judge Hiram Jacobs Wednesday afternoon on a charge of stealing a motorcycle from C. S. Severly of the Barnes circus.

Martinez was bound over to the Superior court on a cash bail set at $1000. Upon his failure to raise that amount he was taken to Martinez.

New Co. Liquor Law Is In Effect

No foreign bartenders or waiters.

No side or rear entrances.

No women can be employed or permitted to be in or about roadhouses.

The foregoing are the three salient improvements made in the new county liquor law which went into effect yesterday. Only roadhouses and saloons outside of city incorporation limits are affected by this law which the district attorney's office has promised will be stringently enforced.

Robber Search at Standstill

With Henle Bennelack, Oakland chauffeur for the bandits that robbed the S. F. & O. T. car barns on April 17, in the county jail and a reward of $500 being offered by the street car company, the search for the robbers is again at a standstill. Numerous clews have been followed down by the police of Oakland and Berkeley but nothing has come of them.

Bennelack will be given a hearing in Martinez Tuesday. He asserts his innocence, stating that the arrangements for the hire of the auto was made between the bandits and his employer, the manager of an auto renting company of Oakland.

WATER COMMISSION VISITS MENDOCINO CO. WATER SUPPLY

The remarkable water and power project of the Snow Mountain Water and Power Company in Mendocino county, 20 miles east of Ukiah, was visited by members of the Richmond Water commission, city officials, local newspapermen, and San Francisco engineers, on Sunday last.. The trip was made to Ukiah by auto and plant in Potter valley, and to the rail, and from there to the power dam on the south fork of the Eel river by auto.

During winter, spring and early summer the power plant at the head of Potter valley discharges upward of 100,000,000 gallons snow water daily, and it is only the great distances that makes fluming of the water here a tremendous proposition for Richmond to tackle, alone. Richmond domestic consumption of water is 1,500,000 daily at present.

City Attorney D. J. Hall will visit the officials of other east bay cities this week to ascertain if they are interested in co-operatively securing water from the Snow Mountain company. If not the proposition will probably be dropped as being too big for Richmond to handle.

Those making the trip were J. B. Willis, R. A. Curry, H. W. Mergenthal, C. B. Evans, H. G. Wyatt, and Charles Blanchard of the Water Commission, Mayor E. J. Garrard, Councilman W. L. Lane, City Attorney D. J. Hall, C. C. Craggin of J. H. Dockweiler, consulting engineer, who is preparing a report for the Commission on the feasibility of the Marin water project, and Carl J. Rhodeen, consulting engineer for the Snow Mountain Company.

The various water commissioners were non-committal regarding the probability of the Snow Mountain as a water supply for Richmond, and stated that they wanted to investigate Marin Co. project further, before deciding.

STREET WORK AT EAST SHORE PARK

Several streets are under construction on the hill at Grand View terrace, and many homes are planned for that locality. Hutchinson & Company are doing the work.

STREET WORK ON GRAND VIEW HILL

The short street connecting East Shore park and the park station on Potrero avenue is being paved this week.

Other improvements are being made in the park by its owners, the S. F. & O. T. in preparation for the coming picnic season.

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Metal covered, hardwood slots, divided tray, 34-inch—$5.50.

Canvas covered, metal bound, hardwood slats, good hardware, divided tray and heavy straps, 34-inch—$8.50.

Heavy canvas covered, binding and center band of vulcanized fiber, hardwood slats, heavy hardware and straps, covered tray and extra skirt tray, 34-inch—$10.00.

Three-ply veneer, covered with vulcanized fiver, binding and two center bands of extra heavy fiber, excellent hardware and spring lock; a high-grade, slatless trunk, and special value; 34-inch—$11.00.

Full three-ply veneer, fiber covered and bound, round edges, flat steel hardware of highest grade, spring lock; linen lined, with cover tray and extra skirt tray; a sturdy trunk that will withstand usage; 34-inch—$14.00.

Strictly high-grade, three ply, veneer trunk, fiber covered, binding and two center bands of heavy fiber; flat steel hardware and Yale lock; reinforced frame construction, giving greatest strength, combined with light weight; top lined, and top tray covered with embossed fabrikoid; two trays, one extra deep, with hat form; full linen lined; 34inch—$18.50.

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GOD BLESS US ALL

This editor attended a meeting of the Building Trades Labor Council the other night and had a real nice time. We made a speech at them and not a one dropped dead or went to sleep, though Fred Heckman had a notion to try to escape out of a window. We talked over things in general and this newspaper in particular, and at the conclusion the various delegates from local unions arose and assured us that we had organized labor of Richmond right square at our back now, and to go ahead and do whatever we deemed was right and they would back it up. That is the kind of talk that puts heart into a man—one can't accomplish much unless he has the respect and confidence of his constituency. The union workers of Richmond, of which there are over two thousand, are asking nothing but what is perfectly all right and fair regarding their newspaper. They want press representation here, and they have a right to it, and they have a right to expect that, considering its big circulation, it will be given a fair share of the public patronage, and that is all they ask. With this kindly spirit on the part of the workers, and the generous reception being accorded us by the business men, we can see no reason for not making this paper a success, as a representative not only of labor but of Richmond in general, and everybody in it. As "Tiny Tim" said—"God bless us all."

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